DEMAND XIII—FOREST.

RAO BAHADUR T. V. VENKATESWARA AIYAR (*Conservator of Forests*): Sir, I rise to move that the House be pleased to grant a sum of Rs. 1,389 under Demand XIII—Forest, for the payment of the Salary and allowance etc., of the staff of the Forest Training School at Konni. This School for the training of Foresters and Forest Guards was discontinued at the end of Karkadagom 1120. The payment of the Salary and allowances for the month of Karkadagom could not be made as there was no provision in the Budget for 1121 nor were funds available for transfer from other heads for this purpose for the reason that war allowances were increased during the year and therefore it reduced the balance that might have been available. The class has been disbanded and the payment has to be made and therefore I request that the grant may be made.

MR. PULIYOOR T. P. VELAYUDHAN PILLAI: We had one session before during the course of this year. May I know from the member why the supplementary demand was not moved at the last session?

RAO BAHADUR T. V. VENKATESWARA AIYAR: It was expected that some savings could be effected. But we found that no savings could be effected and therefore the motion has been placed before the House.

The motion was put and carried and the grant was made.

PRESIDENT: Mr. Kainikkara Padmanabha Pillai, are you moving the Supplementary grant?

MR. KAINIKARA M. PADMANABHA PILLAI: No Sir.

DEMAND XXII—CO-OPERATIVE DEPARTMENT.

MR. C. KUMARA DAS (*Secretary to Government*): Sir I move for a supplementary grant of Rs. 2,998 under Demand XXII—Co-operative Department for additional funds to meet the extra expenditure incurred in connection with the Sri Chitra Exhibition and T. A. This amount of Rs. 2,998 is the aggregate of two figures, *viz.*, Rs. 498 to meet the extra expenditure incurred in connection with the Sri Chitra Exhibition, and Rs. 2,500 for additional funds under T. A. An amount of Rs. 750 had been provided by diversion from the funds allotted to the Cooperative Department to meet the expenditure. But when the accounts were closed it was found that for unavoidable reasons they had to spend this extra amount of Rs. 498. Therefore I am asking the House to grant this amount.

In regard to the T. A., the Registrar of Co-operative Societies was also the Director of Registration until 1-6-1121 and the T. A. of his tours was shared by both the departments—the Department of Registration and the Co-operative Department. When he left the Registration Department, the full amount that was required towards his T. A. had to be met from the allotment from the Co-operative Department. The amount provided was not sufficient and in order to meet the deficiency this amount is being asked for. I request that he House be pleased to sanction the grant.

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